

DATE: May 29, 2015

TO: Eligible Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) Applicants

FROM: Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services
Nebraska Homeless Assistance Program (NHAP)

RE: NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD 2015-16 HMIS FUNDING

The Nebraska Department of Health & Human Services' (DHHS) NHAP hereby announces its intent to award NHAP HMIS funding to the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Center on Children, Families, and the Law (UNL-CCFL) for the period beginning July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016, with the option to renew for 3 one-year periods.

NHAP HMIS funding is awarded through a four-year grant cycle. Year One involves a competitive application process; any eligible applicant can apply for funding. The applicant was selected for an award based on the quality of the applicant's submitted application, past performance, and specific recommendations and scores given by the NHAP review team. Year's Two, Three and Four involve a renewal application process; open only to the previously selected RFA HMIS subgrantee. For continued annual funding renewal to occur, the subgrantee must demonstrate compliance with all terms and conditions of the subgrant.

The goal of this subgrant is to ensure continued HMIS/ServicePoint statewide implementation and data collection and evaluation in fulfillment of Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG) and Homeless Shelter Assistance Trust Fund (HSATF) guidelines. NHAP funding consists of Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds awarded to DHHS by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and funds received through the Nebraska Homeless Shelter Assistance Trust Fund (HSATF). NHAP will use a combination of ESG and HSATF funds to cover the HMIS subgrant as HSATF will be used in regions where NHAP is not the recipient of the ESG funds from HUD.

This Notice of Intent to Award NHAP Funds is subject to the execution of a written subgrant award with the subrecipient. The subrecipient shall not acquire any legal or equitable rights relative to the funding until a subgrant award containing terms and conditions acceptable to DHHS is executed. If the intended subrecipient fails to negotiate and execute a subgrant award with DHHS, the intended award may be revoked and the funding reallocated. DHHS further reserves the right to cancel this Notice of Intent to Award at any time prior to the execution of a written subgrant award.

It is NHAP's intent to award 2015-16 funding the CCFL subrecipient listed below. This award is subject to the receipt by DHHS of the announced ESG grant award from HUD for the identified amount and receipt of the projected amount of HSATF funding.

REGION	AGENCY
Statewide	University of Nebraska-Lincoln - CCFL

Thank you for participating in the NHAP RFA HMIS application process. During the next two weeks, the selected applicant will receive notification of the specific intended award amount.

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